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2011 California Glass Container and Fiberglass Production Minimum Content Report

CALENDAR YEAR 2011 REPORT OF BEVERAGE CONTAINERS SOLD AND RETURNED *

CRV Containers Returned	655,855	Tons
Non-CRV (Postfilled) Containers Returned	239,480	Tons
Total CRV and Non-CRV (Postfilled) Containers Returned	895,335	Tons
CRV Containers Sold	779,766	Tons

* Data used to calculate estimates are subject to change

CALIFORNIA NEW GLASS CONTAINER MINIMUM CONTENT

Glass reported used by California manufacturers includes CRV and Non-CRV (Postfilled) cullet imported from out-of-state

California

Bottle Production	1,280,235	Tons
Cullet Used	610,431	Tons

California Statewide Average Recycled Content 47.68%

CALIFORNIA NEW FIBERGLASS MINIMUM CONTENT

Fiberglass manufacturers use plate and other non-bottle glass material to meet recycled minimum content requirements

California

Fiberglass Production	241,797	Tons
Cullet Used	131,050	Tons

California Statewide Average Recycled Content 54.20%

Fiberglass Produced Out-of-State

Fiberglass Production	1,378,727	Tons
Cullet Used	666,872	Tons
Tons Produced by Out-of-State Plants and Sold in California	21,316	Tons

Out-of-State Average Recycled Content 48.37%

Recycled content of all fiberglass produced or sold in California 53.73%

Total Cullet Reported Used by California Container and Fiberglass Manufacturers 741,481 Tons

